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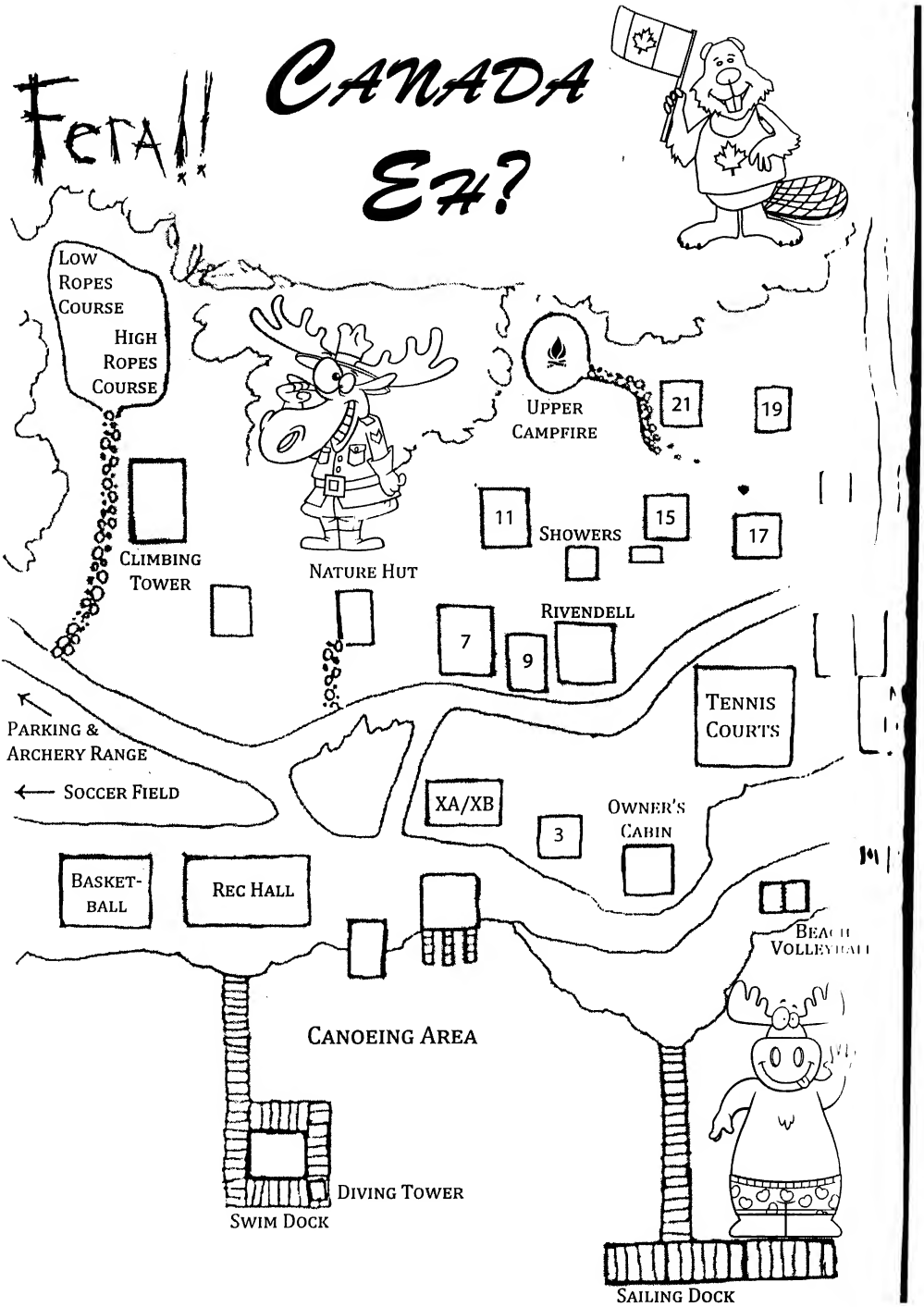
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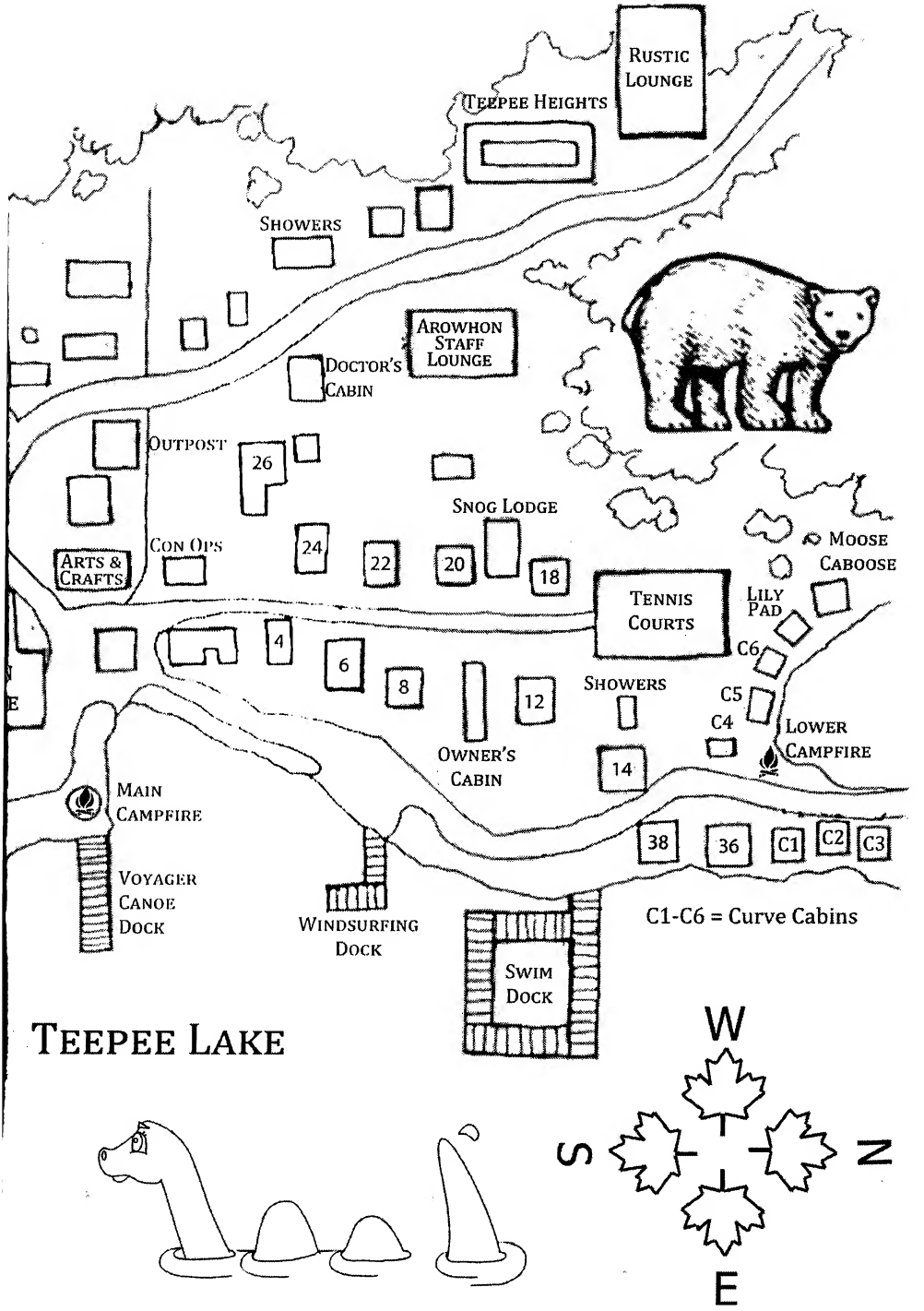
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We made it to sixteen years! We aren't looking for a car, though... or a limo drive to a banquet hall...or a pretty dress. We figured instead we'd run the most memorable, unique and action-packed furry summer camp ever. It's our sweet sixteen, ya hosers!

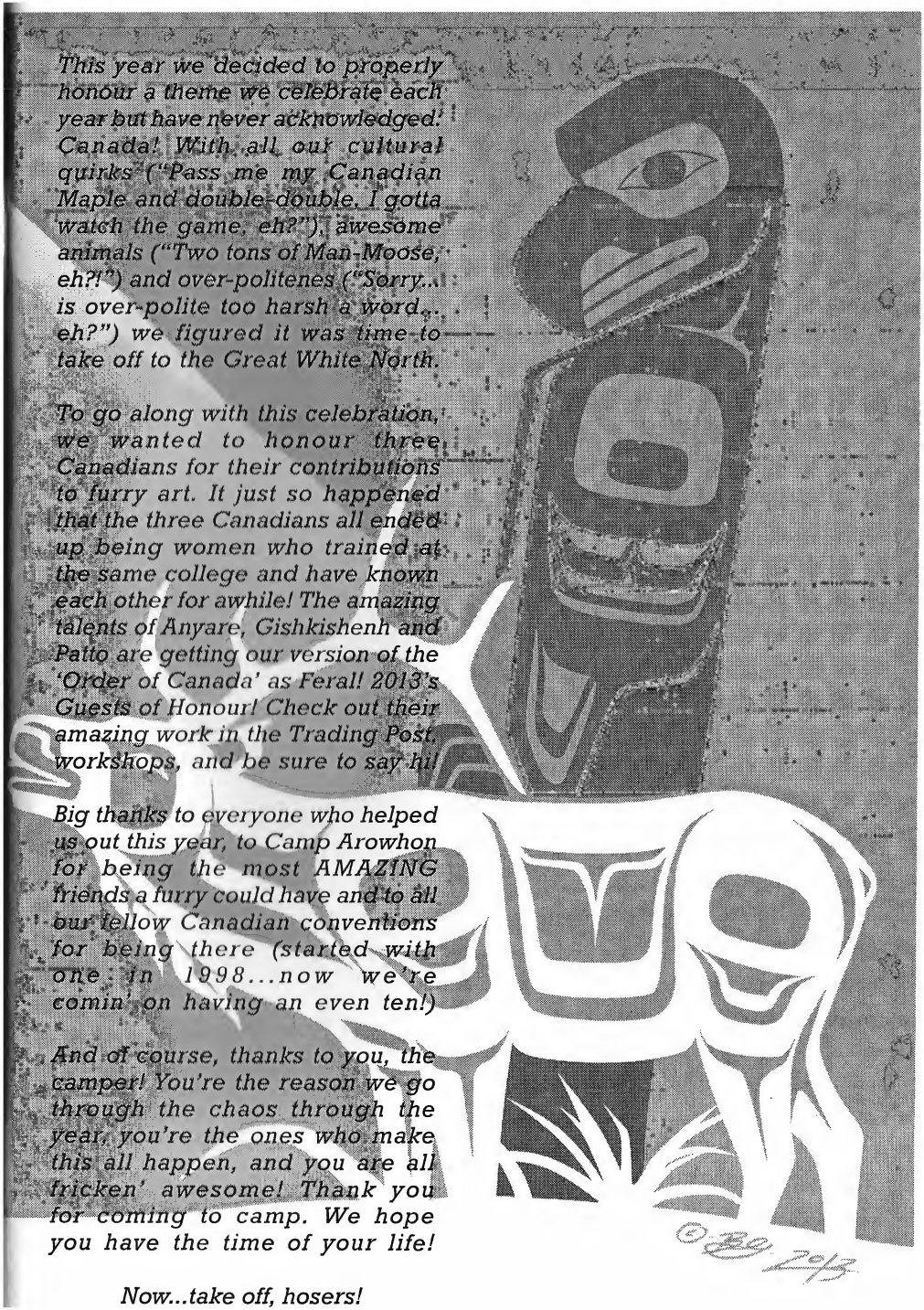
I was at the first Camp Feral!, held here at Camp Arowhon in 1998. I remember a lot fewer people (there were about 50 total!) and being WAY too shy. I was in a cabin with people I'd never met, showed up at the end of the first meal after driving from Toronto, and wondering 'What...am...I...doing??'

And then camp really started.

I made new friends, was constantly doing activities and workshops and events, was invited to a few cabin parties (like room parties...but with more loon calls) and fell in love with this crazy convention in the woods.

Keep in mind, in 1998 there weren't many options. Albany Anthrocon had just held it's first event when Camp Feral! was conceived. California had some cons...and I'd heard about this 'Eurofurence' overseas, but otherwise we had local events: Guelph Furry Breakfasts, occasional gatherings at the Hutch or Terry Wessner's house...and that was it.

The fact that Toronto Furries put together the world's first outdoor furry event, the first Canadian furry con, and did so without even thinking about how crazy the whole idea was is mindblowing! And here we are, sixteen years later, still rockin' Algonquin.



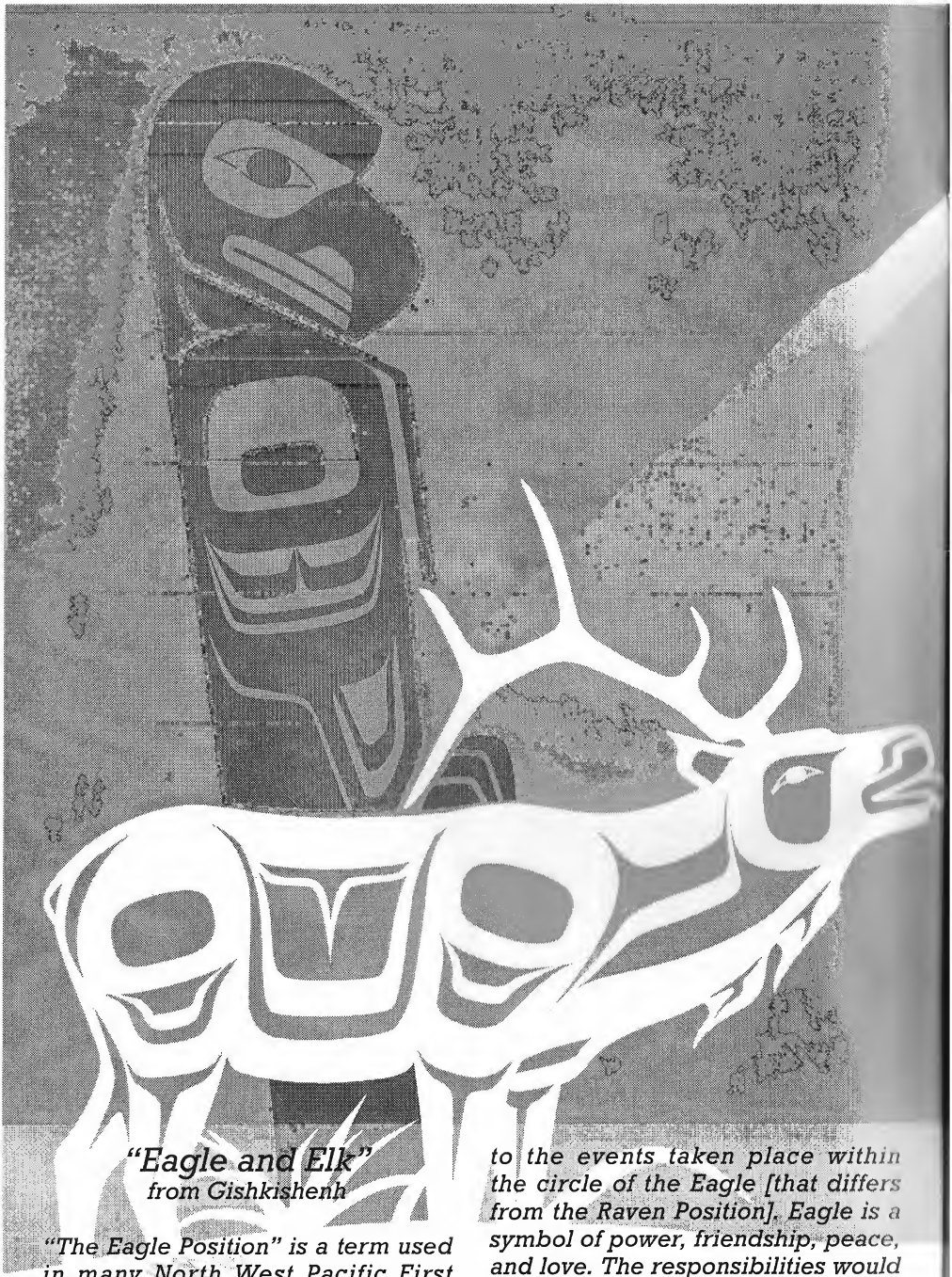
This year we decided to properly honour a theme we celebrate each year but have never acknowledged: Canada! With all our cultural quirks ("Pass me my Canadian Maple and double-double, I gotta watch the game, eh?"), awesome animals ("Two tons of Man-Moose, eh?!") and over-politenes ("Sorry... is over-polite too harsh a word... eh?") we figured it was time to take off to the Great White North.

To go along with this celebration, we wanted to honour three Canadians for their contributions to furry art. It just so happened that the three Canadians all ended up being women who trained at the same college and have known each other for awhile! The amazing talents of Anyare, Gishkishenh and Patto are getting our version of the 'Order of Canada' as Feral! 2013's Guests of Honour! Check out their amazing work in the Trading Post, workshops, and be sure to say hi!

Big thanks to everyone who helped us out this year, to Camp Arowhon for being the most AMAZING friends a furry could have and to all our fellow Canadian conventions for being there (started with one in 1998...now we're comin' on having an even ten!)

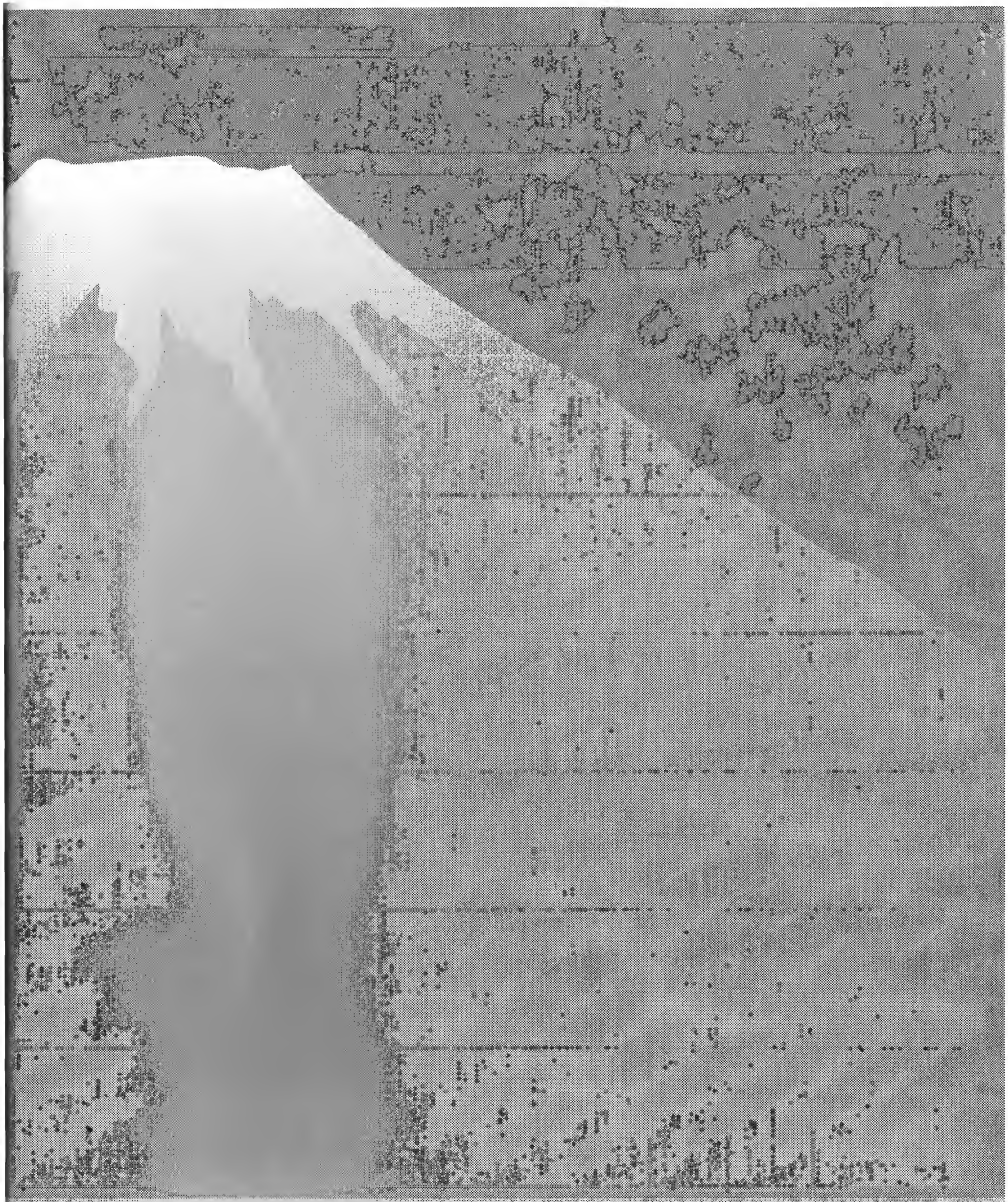
And of course, thanks to you, the camper! You're the reason we go through the chaos through the year, you're the ones who make this all happen, and you are all fricken' awesome! Thank you for coming to camp. We hope you have the time of your life!

Now...take off, hosers!



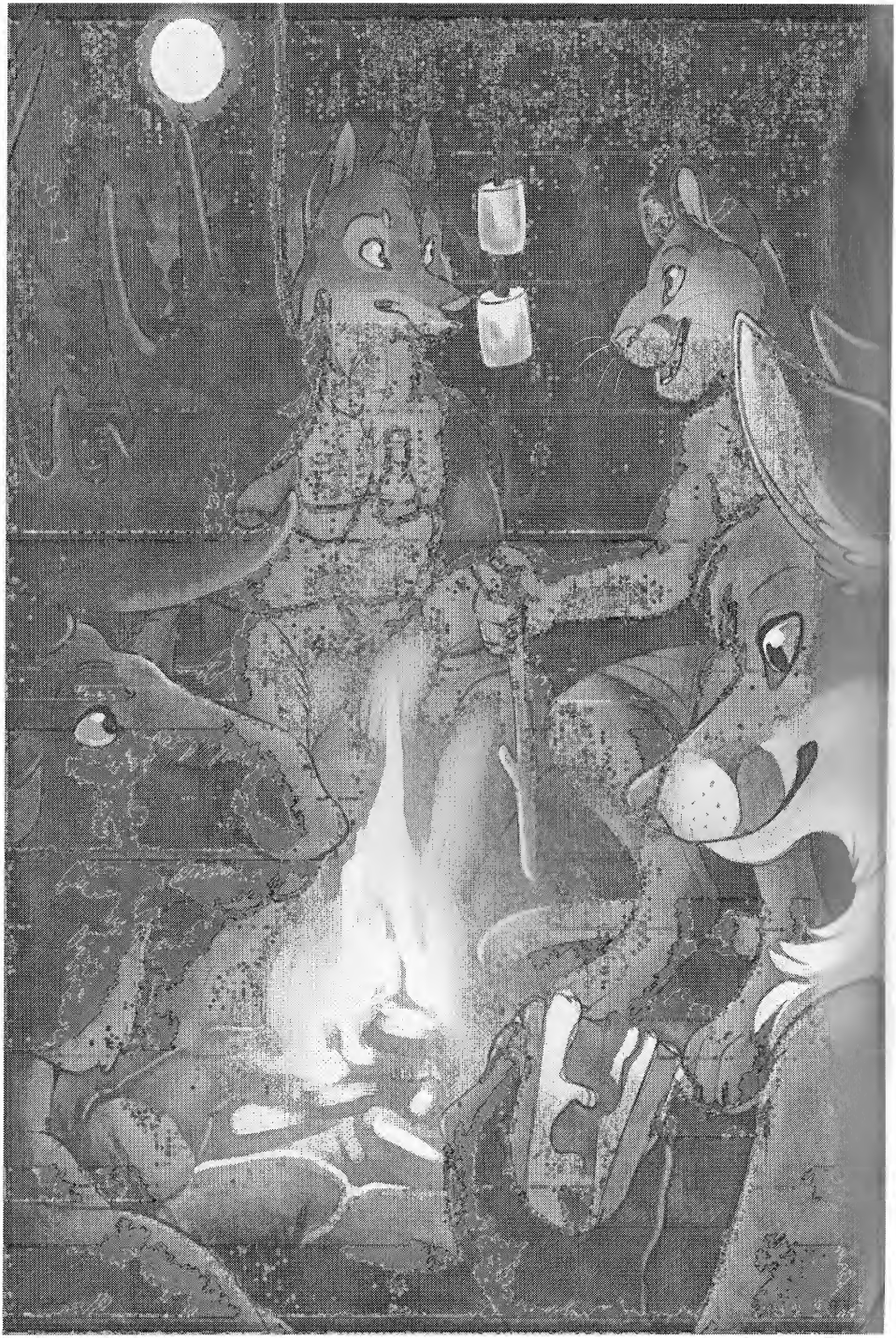
"Eagle and Elk"
from Gishkishenh

"The Eagle Position" is a term used in many North West Pacific First Nations Bands to describe the head of the household, organization, or community congregation. With it, the title holds a large expected amount of responsibility in regards to the events taken place within the circle of the Eagle [that differs from the Raven Position]. Eagle is a symbol of power, friendship, peace, and love. The responsibilities would include tending to the guests, caring for the people within the event, and bestowing gifts on the community members.



The Elk is known as "Good Father" or "Master of Ceremonies" in the Eastern Woodland cultures. An "Elk" would be expected to host the requested event, and make sure all things were running smoothly - even if it means sacrificing their time at the event by helping out in whichever way needed - even remedial tasks. "Elk" will take care of other small issues that would arise in the community event, from matchmaking to mediation.

The illustrator wanted to pay her respects to the Eagle Position for the event held, and her invitation to attend. She designed this piece as a special request, and made it with the intention to honor the Elk.

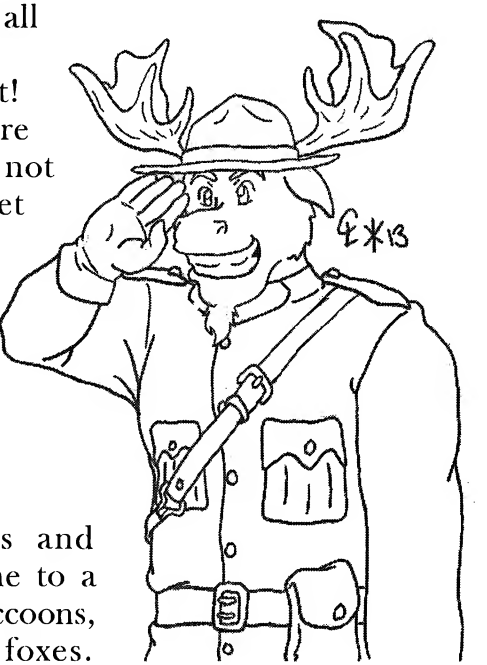


Code of Conduct!

Camp Feral! is designed to be a fun and relaxing event for everyone – a five-day vacation from the hustle and bustle of your civilized life. However, as easy as it is to forget about the rest of the world in such a secluded place as this, remember that you are still in Canada, and still obligated to obey the law! Therefore, to ensure the safety of campers and park staff, protect the pristine nature of Algonquin Provincial Park and Camp Arowhon, and guarantee that Feral! continues to be invited back to this wonderful place for many years to come, we ask that all campers please read and abide by the Feral! Code of Conduct as follows:

The Law

- Campers must abide by all federal, provincial, and local laws at all times.
- Common Sense. Use it! If you haven't got any, or are unsure about whether or not doing something might get you in trouble, ask staff before you do it please! :3 Remember, if it was illegal while you were waiting at Yorkdale Mall to catch the bus, it's still illegal now.



Wildlife

- The Arowhon grounds and surrounding forest are home to a vast array of wildlife, like raccoons, chipmunks, coyotes, and foxes.

Campers are asked to observe the following rules regarding wildlife:

- Do not leave food out, where it may attract wild animals.
- Do not approach wildlife or coax it to approach you. Think RABIES! Leave 'em alone!
- Do not try to feed the wildlife. They can find food well enough themselves!
- DO take pictures and admire Algonquin's wild beauty (from a safe distance, please).
- If you're curious as to why any of these rules exist, try asking a Camp Arowhon staffer. They're very nature-oriented and well-educated; heck, ecological responsibility is the sort of thing they teach their other campers the rest of the year when we're not around!

Orderly Conduct

- Please maintain a level of noise appropriate to your current time and place. There are people who LIVE on the Arowhon grounds. They are in the nice houses. Please be respectfully quiet when walking by (for example, no overenthusiastic renditions of

your favourite drinking song / pirate shanty / Sparklehorse tune while walking back to your cabin at 1:00am).

• Campers should cooperate fully with Feral! staff and Arowhon personnel. They are protecting you and the future of Camp Feral!, and they are probably already totally stressed out from running around like crazy all camp and the two months before it, so give 'em a break :3

• Never fight, engage in inappropriate horseplay, or do anything that directly, indirectly, or recklessly causes undue harm or disturbance to any Feral! camp function, camper, staffer, property, etc. Your friendly staff has spent a lot of time and effort planning this event for your enjoyment, and your fellow campers have also committed a good deal of time and money, so don't ruin it for anybody else!

Alcohol

• ...is permitted, but only in reusable, non-disposable containers. Glass bottles and aluminum cans are NOT permitted. Plastic pop bottles, Nalgene bottles, metal water battles, canteens, flasks - these are all good containers. Glass bottles may smash...animals may get hurt...we don't want that! We're furries!

• Be responsible! A number

of great Feral! activities don't mix well with alcohol: Rock climbing, archery, kayaking/ canoeing, and especially swimming whilst intoxicated could land you in trouble, a hospital, or worse - and although Arowhon has a competent medically-trained staff, the nearest hospital is still several kilometres away. You're here to have a good time, so don't ruin it by doing something stupid!

• Campers who violate the alcohol policy will have their alcohol confiscated until the end of camp. Serious or repeat offenders will be subject to expulsion from Feral! and will be escorted off Arowhon property.

Smoke & Fire

• Smoking is allowed in designated areas only, specifically the side entrance porch of the Main Lodge.

• Please dispose of ashes and butts in the receptacles provided. This is for safety as well as courtesy; it would suck to accidentally burn Arowhon down. Protect the camp!

• To that effect, NO FIRES! There will be scheduled and impromptu campfires, but unless you are a staff member or have received very specific permission from one, you should not be lighting them. If you want to start and supervise a campfire in one of the campfire circles, ask a staff member as far in advance

as you can, to give us time to clear with Arowhon staff and make preparations.

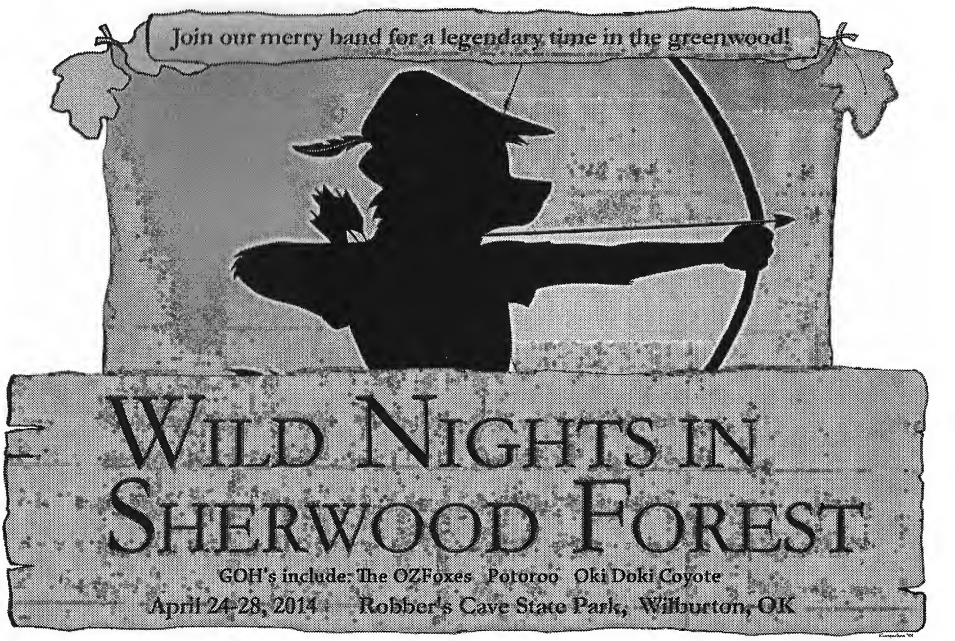
Weaponry

• Absolutely no firearms or realistic replicas thereof are allowed at Camp Arowhon (although waterguns, water balloons, and other water-shooty-thingers are acceptable and even encouraged).

• Campers are allowed to bring their own bows for use at Arowhon's archery range, however: a) They must inform Feral! security staff that they have brought their own bow, b) bows may only be used at the Arowhon archery range, and c) the bow must be kept with the rest of the bows at the Arowhon archery range when not in use.

• Campers should leave other weapons (or anything that can be mistaken for one) at home during camp, whether it's legal to possess and carry or not. Campers should bring anything that may come into conflict with these rules to the Feral! Security for approval, or for safe-keeping until after camp. Campers must comply if Security revokes this approval at any time for any reason.

• The only weapons expressly permitted at Feral! are folding-blade camping knives and straight sticks without grips.


Join our merry band for a legendary time in the greenwood!
Wild Nights in Sherwood Forest
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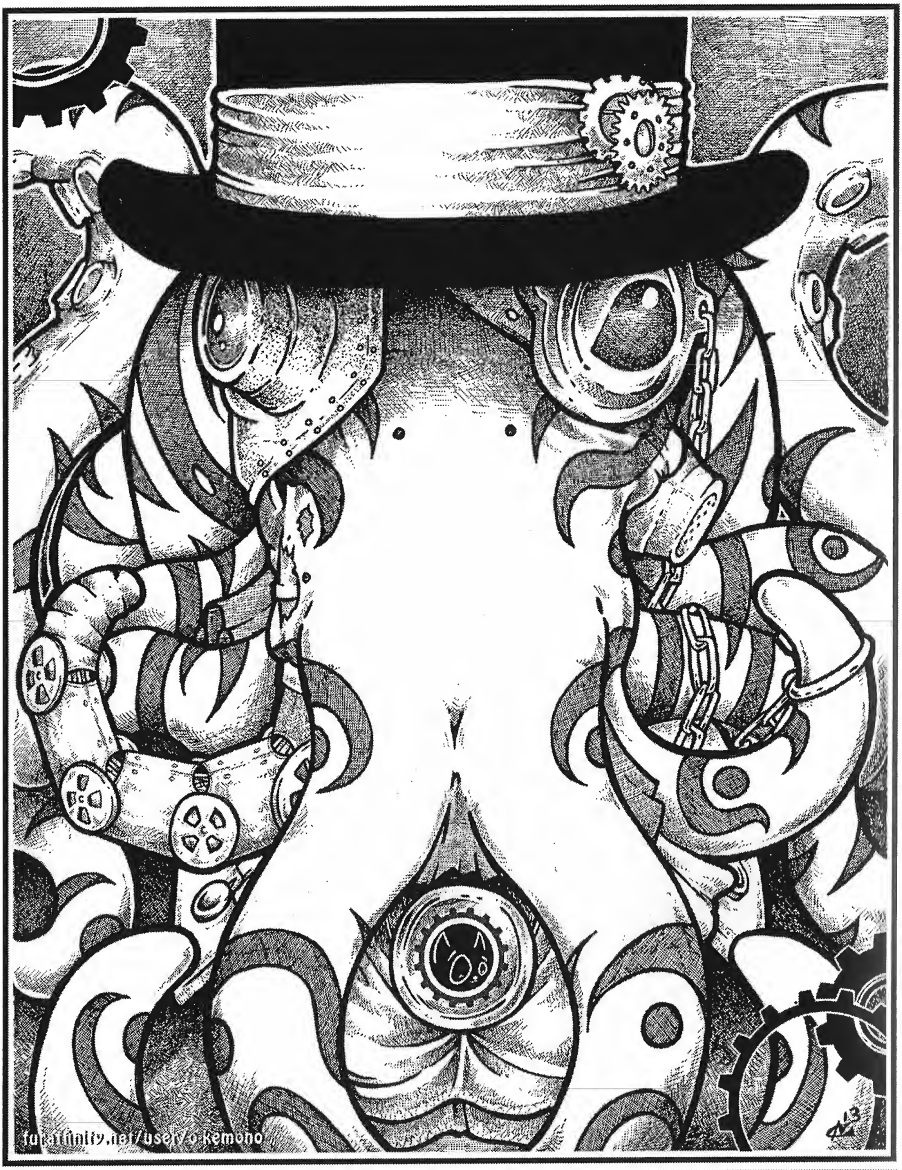

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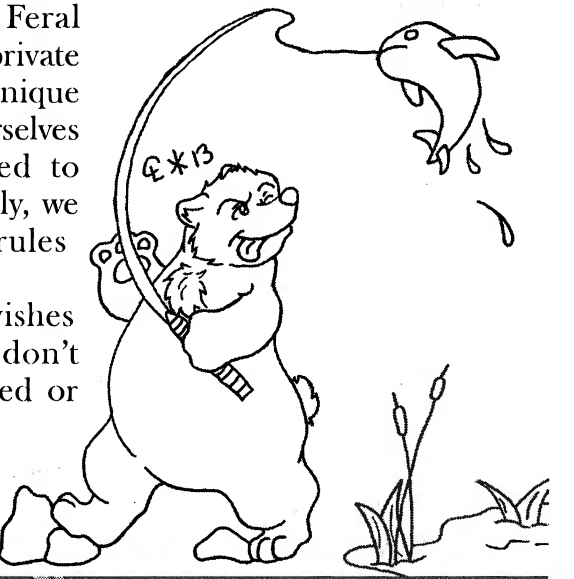
Finally, Camp Feral! itself has a few guidelines specifically for the comfort and safety of our unique group:

Media

The world of video has changed A LOT since 1998 when we first started. Feral being secluded and on private property, we have the unique opportunity to enjoy ourselves without being subjected to public scrutiny. Currently, we enforce the following rules regarding media:

- Please respect the wishes of any campers who don't want to be photographed or videotaped.
- Absolutely no news media, no matter how informal, will be allowed at Camp Feral. This includes documentary crews of all kinds, and campers recording for purposes of later public distribution, display, or performance.
- Feral! staff may record events and discussions with



campers for the purposes of archival video or promotion of Camp Feral! within the furry fandom. All testimonials will be voluntary and Feral! staff will do their best to ensure that campers who do not wish to be filmed will be edited from the video. Please keep in mind, major events such as the opening and closing ceremonies, predator/prey, or the cabin skits may be filmed.

• If you would NOT like to appear in a Feral! video, vlog or webisode we may ask to take a reference photograph of you, which will allow us to scan footage and ensure you are not a focal point in any video. We ask that you also try to stay out of the front and center of any situations where we are trying to gather footage.

"PG-13 Con"

• Feral! prides itself on presenting a comfortable atmosphere for anthropomorphic fans of all breeds and backgrounds, and campers should act accordingly. This means, if what you're doing is making anybody around you uncomfortable in any way, stop it!

• Although Feral! is a 19+ event our beautiful setting, Camp Arowhon, is not. We ask that you respect the staff and other campers: Campers should wear acceptably concealing clothing at all times, unless changing or showering in appropriate locations. We really shouldn't have to be specific about what this means. If what you're wearing makes anybody uncomfortable, put something more appropriate on over it.

• Public displays of affection are allowed. Honestly, it goes so much without saying that it barely needs to be addressed here. It would be ludicrous of us to try and prohibit them, even if we wanted to! However...

• For the love of Falstaff, please exercise some tact. The word of the week is tact. Everybody knows the reputation the furry community has garnered due to the sensationalized behaviour of a minority of the fandom population (CSI, anyone?). Camp Feral! challenges its campers to continue to defy the furry stereotype and live up to its reputation for putting the 'un'- back in 'conventional'! So please respect your fellow campers' comfort zones,

and conversely if someone is making you uncomfortable, inform a Feral! staff member!

Consequences

• Feral! staff is, by any standards, an extremely laid back group. However, serious or repeat infractions of the Code of Conduct – especially in a way detrimental to the experience of other campers – will get our attention. In the (extremely rare!) event that a camper's behaviour forces us to consider expelling them from Camp, remember that Feral! is very much unlike your typical hotel convention: If a camper is asked to leave, he or she cannot simply walk out the hotel doors and back into the city. Rather, they will be escorted to the end of Camp Arowhon Road, where a cab will be waiting to pick them up. The cab drives them to the nearest Greyhound station, where they pick up the tab for the cab ride and a bus ticket back to Toronto. If their flight home from Toronto doesn't leave for another two days, they're stuck in Toronto for two days, and it's up to them to find a place to stay.

• Thankfully, expulsion is very very rare: about the only thing bad enough to warrant it would be to show downright hostility to one's conmates, or to prove oneself a danger to the people/wildlife/property around them. And we haven't got any congoers like that, do we? Keep a positive attitude, use your words politely, don't say anything you will regret later, and you won't even have to worry about this section in the Code. If all else fails, seek a staff member. Resorting to hostile action can only possibly make your day – and everyone else's – worse.

If you're still reading this, good! I know it was a lot, so thanks for sticking with us! If you have any questions, please feel free to ask one of your friendly Camp Feral! staffers (we're the ones wearing the nifty STAFF shirts!).

To sum everything up, what it all comes down to is this: be safe, be courteous, be respectful, and most of all have fun! We're here to make sure you have a good time, let you enjoy yourselves, and make you want to keep coming back in the future!

Guests of Honour

Gishkishenh

Born into the clans of feuding Vampires and Werewolves, Bernice was created after a genetic cloning operation went horribly askew. Banished for being too wild and uncontrollable, she travelled various regions of the world to learn the cultures of the ancients and dying. While in exile, she picked up various languages as well as extensive knowledge in myth, cultural studies, and conservation; so that she may preserve the extremely rare Danish Hamster Toad from it's horrible fate of extinction. Bearing the vindictive temperament of a beast who hath been scorned by a thousand demons twice over, it has been foretold not to indulge in false words against particular cultural oral traditions as well as Obi-wan Kenobi - for the nature of her primitive wild rage shall be unleashed with the fury of a thousand suns. Somewhere along the way she picked up this habit called "Drawing", and decided to do something with it. She also has Celiac Disorder, and is incredibly bitter about it.

Patto

Born and raised in Toronto, Canada I have always been inspired by the arts and for as long as I can recall has practiced going her artistic abilities through all mediums. I specify in fantasy and anthropomorphic artwork in the digital mediums of all genres. I'm living in North York, Toronto - Studied at a fine-arts centric high-school when I was younger, graduated and studied Animation in the 4-year degree program at Sheridan College in Oakville and continued on to study 3D animation after that to further my knowledge with various animation software. I perused personal commission work on-line from the age of 13 to the current date and have worked for several virtual pet websites along with conducting business on websites such as DA and FA. I am Currently working in down town Toronto as a junior animator in Liberty Village working on children's TV shows.

Anyare

Anyare is a Canadian furry artist born and raised in Toronto, Ontario. From a young age she's been interested in animals in all their depictions, ranging from small pets to the biggest wild cats of the Savanna, either in real life or portrayed in books, comics or on the big screen. In fact it's the big screen classic 'The Lion King' that continues to inspire her to this day in her artistic endeavours. Having graduated from Sheridan College with a degree in animation, she still enjoys seeing new anthropomorphic films while reliving classic films, and is currently employed at a Toronto animation studio. Outside of art and film, Anyare won't turn down a good hike (Geocaching!), enjoys many games and spends summer weekends relaxing at the cottage in the reknown Muskokas with friends and a cold beer.

Patrons!

We want to give our extra-sincere thanks to the following folks (in no particular order) for registering early AND as Patrons! You guys help make Camp Feral that much more Feral-ey, and we'd never be able to do it without your help!

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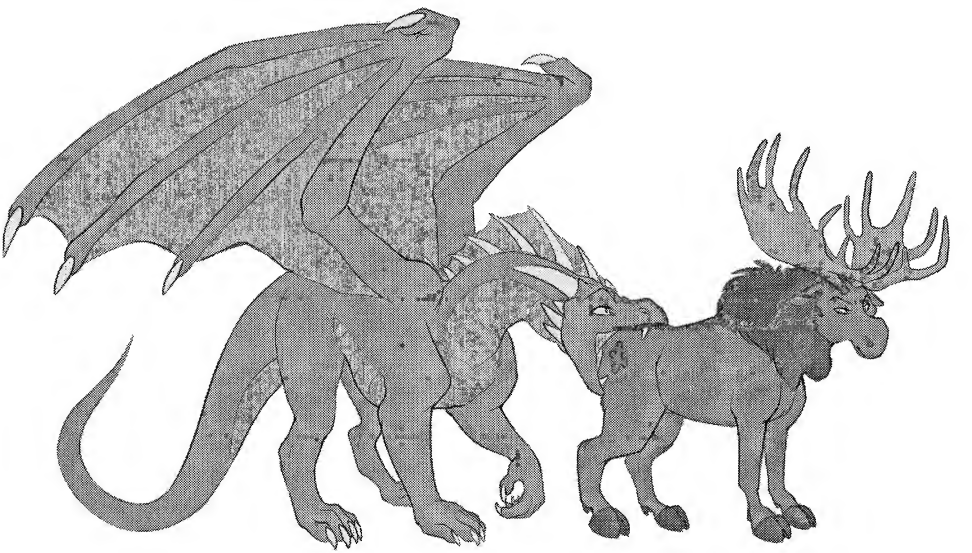

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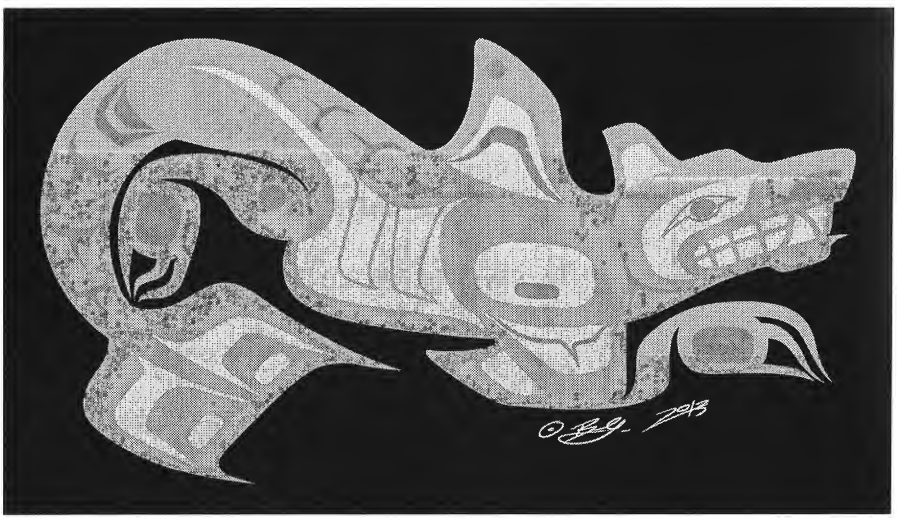


Kohne

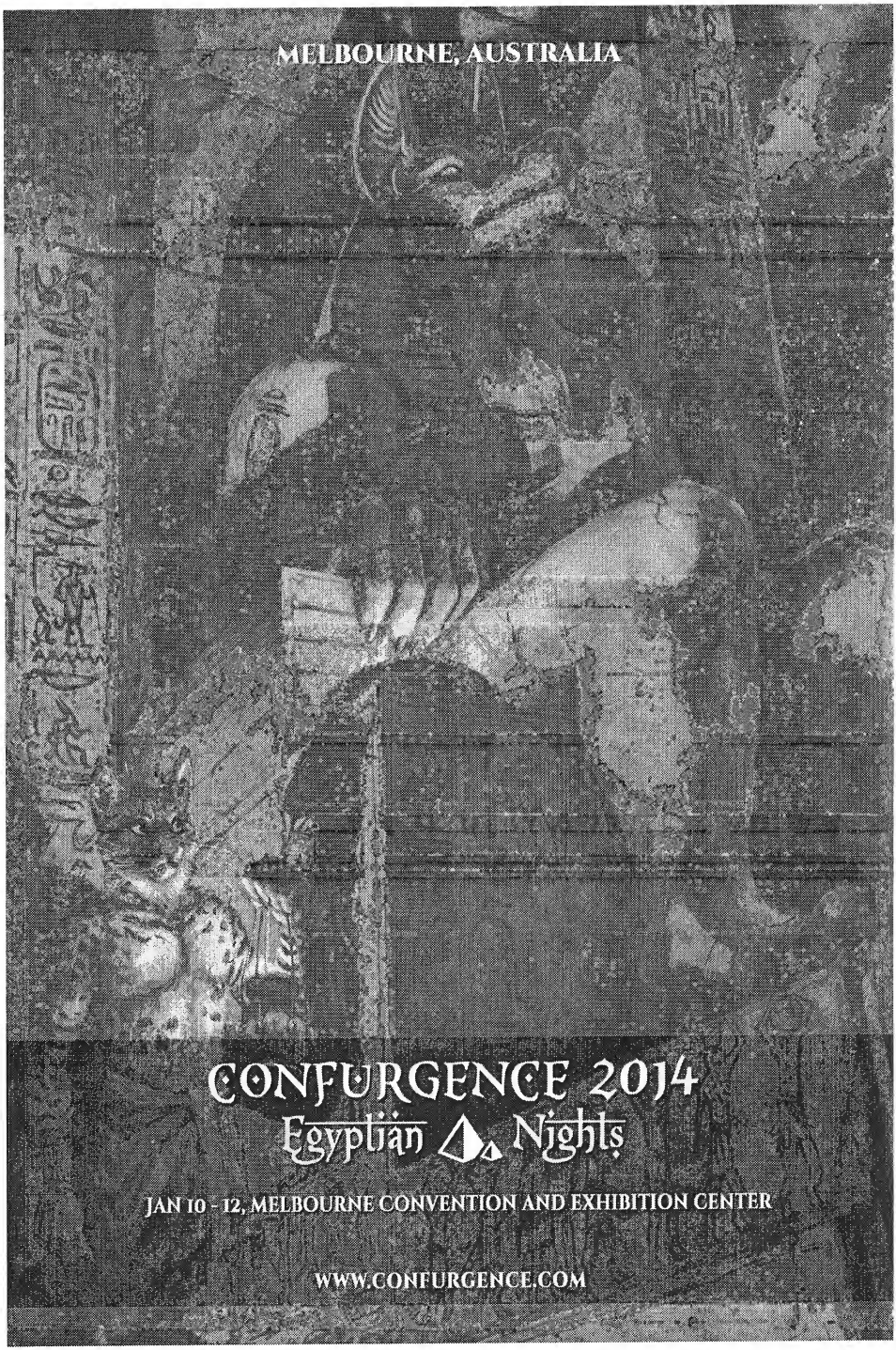
While not a commonly depicted individual in traditional NWP art, the hare does figure in First Nation Oral tradition. Seen here depicted, the Hare is challenging the element of wind as he leaps form the tall grass.

Leviwolf

"Anthropomorphic characters do appear in First Nation Oral Traditions, however not in the same way they do their European counterparts. There are distinctions for the kind of spirits that can walk upright - yet are not of this world - and those differ from the animals and plants who never change form, but are believed to speak and communicate as people. In order to respect the cultural expectation, the illustrator decided to hint at the more human-like appearance of the wolf by giving them a human hand - an obvious sign of the human species that differ from the animal kingdom."

Wolfin

In the Haida and Tlingit cultures, this Sea Monster was a cross between a Sea Wolf [Orca] and a Land Wolf. Appearing in Oral traditions, it would play the part as terrorizer of the coastal villages, or as companion to a hunter whom raised it from a pup. Wasco is also a Guardian to the under-water kingdom, and is an obstacle to pass in order to reach that kingdom.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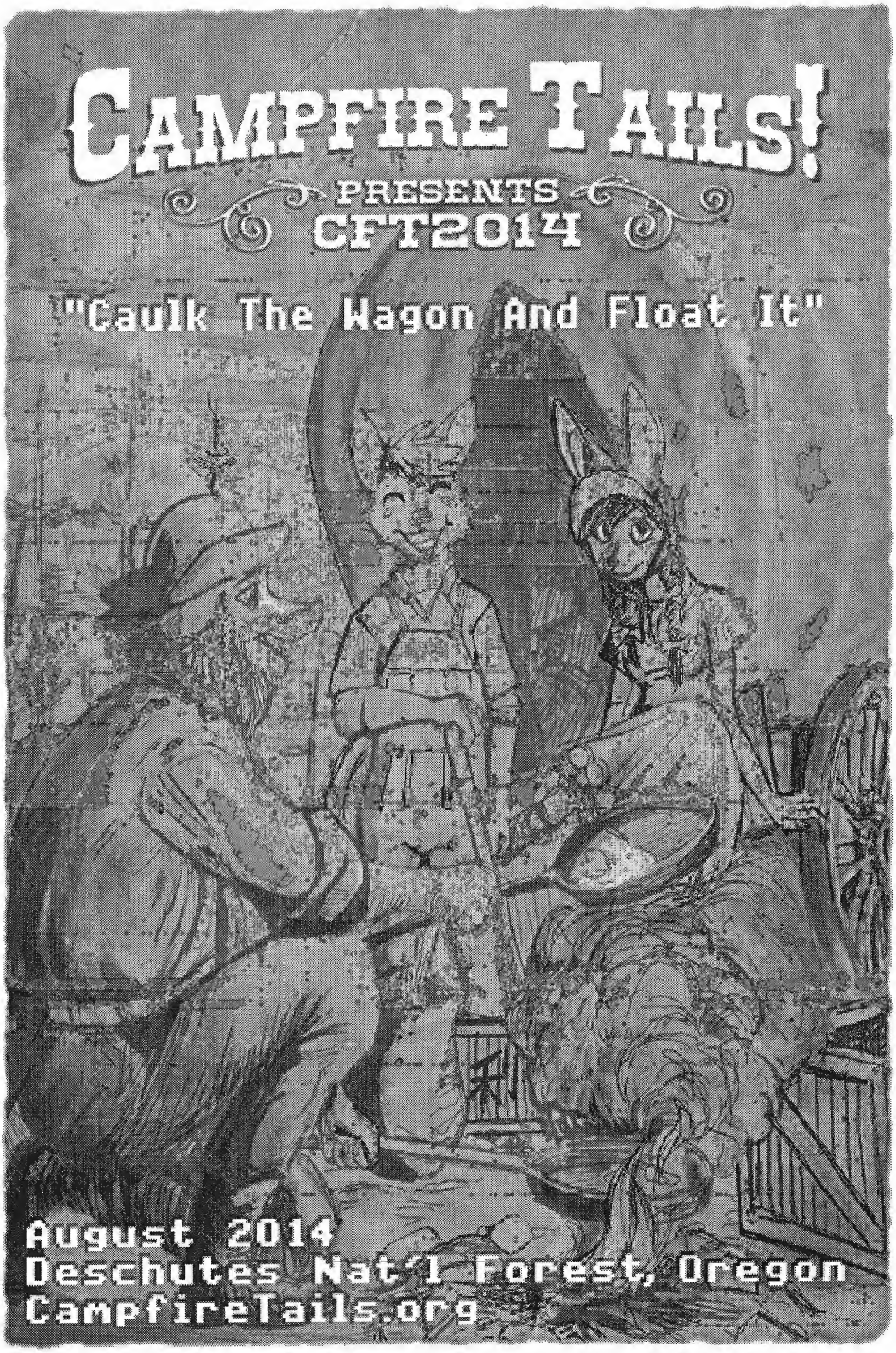
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August 2014
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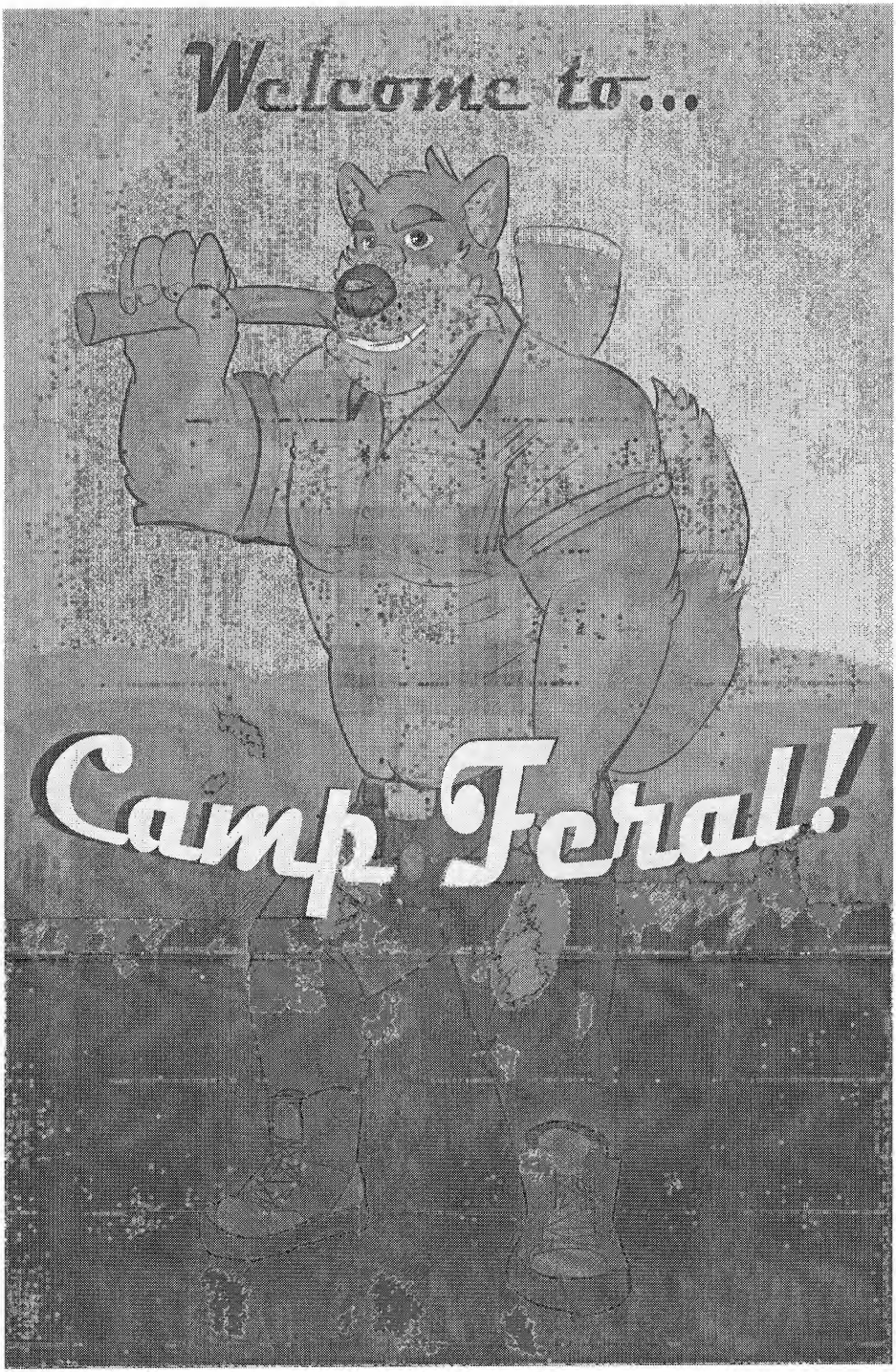
Welcome to...
Camp Feral!

Schedule of Events!

Thursday

Dinner & Welcome Announcements
Main Lodge - 6:00p

Kick off Feral! With an awesome meal with both Camp Feral! and Camp Arowhon's opening announcements. **Please note: important rules and regulations will be announced. . . Not being in attendance does not mean you don't have to follow them!!**

Drum Jam
Upper Campfire - 8:00p

Head to Upper Campfire and join the Jam. Meet new furs and old friends by the fire in a clearing in the woods.

"Voices In The Darkness" a Capella
North Campfire - 9:30

O Canada! We stand on guard for thee!

Hanging at the Campfire
Upper Campfire - 9:30p

Tell stories! Have some drinks and enjoy the company! A nice relaxing start to Feral!

Games in the Main Lodge
Main Lodge - Late Night

Find gamer extraordinaire, InsaneFoxx, in the Main Lodge if your lookin' for a game to play! He brings his skillz honed at other Canadian cons, especially What the Fur in Montreal, to Algonquin Park in 2013. Up late every night!

Friday

Polar Bear Swim
North Swim Dock – 7:00a

Having trouble waking up? Join Crono for a blast of cold water to get your day started right! Better than coffee!

Opening Ceremonies
Main Lodge – 8:45a

After breakfast, experience Camp Feral!'s traditional opening ceremonies. We raise this year's flag, introduce the guests of honour and that's it! We don't want to take up all your camp time with talking, get to it!!!

Orientation
Main Lodge – 9:00a

If it's your first year, this is a great way to get to know camp! Potoroo will lead a short tour showing off the site identifying important stories and imparting stories about Feral's past.

Friday Morning Workshops
Various Places – 10:00a

See Workshop schedules

Voyageur Canoe Trip
Main Lodge Porch – 10:00a

Ever paddled a canoe? Not like this one, you haven't! The Voyageur canoe holds up to 25 people, and a short paddle and a hike up the ridge opposite Feral! offers a view of the camp unlike any other. An Arowhon tradition! Sign up ASAP at Main Lodge so we know you are coming!

Arowhon Activities
Various Times & Places

Activities facilitated by Camp Arowhon include boating, swimming, archery, climbing and many others! Listen at mealtimes to hear which activities are open each day.

Friday Afternoon Workshops

Various Places – 1:00p

See Workshop schedules

Watermelon Football

South Swim Dock – 1:00p

Arguably the strangest thing we ask you to do at Camp Feral! Part water polo, part fruit salad, part ridiculous show for onlookers: teams try to move a slippery watermelon to the opposing teams goal. Not to be missed.

MonFurs' Melee

Soccer Field – 3:30p

The MonFurs return again with their Melee! A live action battle game that will get you moving and test your imagination!

Trading Post

Main Lodge – 7:00p

Art dealers and Craftspersons, books and Feral! Merch! Bring real money (phone-based card readers often don't work in the Northern wilds). One hour only!

Furry Improv at Rustic Lounge

Rustic Lounge – 8:00p

Feral!'s most popufur event since 2000! See experienced furry improvers make fools of themselves, join them as they play out ridiculous situations that YOU give them!

Smores with Timbehr

Main Lodge – 9:30p

Handypaw Timbehr returns with possibly unethical experiments with the concept of graham cracker and marshmallow and more. Come down and try the smore corner combinations!

Campfire Sing-a-Long

Upper Campfire – 9:30p

Come sing along to some of your favourite songs, old and new, at this camp tradition!

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Saturday

Polar Bear Swim
North Swim Dock – 7:00a

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Saturday Morning Workshops
Various Places – 10:00a

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Half Day Canoe Trip
Meet at Main Lodge – 10:00a

If there is enough interested furs there will be a canoe trip across lake and land to experience nature (bow chicka wow-wow) Signup sheet will be posted at main lodge. Led by an Arowhon staffer.

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South Swim Dock – 1:00p

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Saturday Afternoon Workshops
Various Places – 1:00p

See Workshop schedules

PREDATOR VS. PREY
Meet at Main Lodge – 3:30p

Zabbu's favourite! A Feral! and Arowhon tradition. Herbivores seek grass and water, omnivores chase herbivores and carnivores chase both! Get your tag-assigned destiny and beat the odds!

Sponsor's Event
Rustic Lounge – 7:00p

Sponsors and Patrons get a special event as a thank you for their help! Hang with the Guests of Honour. Sample tasty cheeses, fancy Italian sodas (non-alcoholic) and of course there will be a champagne toast at 8:00. Don't forget to try some of Papa Goyle's 2013 batch of 'Roo Brew' and new in 2013: Feral's 'Canadian Redwine Trilogy' Wine!

Musicians' Circle
Tee Pee Heights – 9:30p

The new and improved Musicians' Circle and Open Mic continues! Enjoy musical performances, suggest songs you can sing along to. Bring some drinks and enjoy our Ontario version of a kitchen party!

The Beaver Tail Breakdown
Rustic Lounge – 9:30p

Dance the night away! Furry DJs set the stage for the best late night dance parties Algonquin ever sees!

Sunday

Polar Bear Swim
North Swim Dock – 7:00a

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Sunday Morning Workshops
Various Places – 10:00a

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Lake Swim

South Swim Dock – 10:00a

Swim. Across the Lake. And back.

Sunday Afternoon Workshops

Various Places – 1:00p

See Workshop schedules

Cabin Skits!

Rustic Lounge – 7:30p

You've been training for days. Devoting every last moment to honing your craft, and now, at the last minute, you can make it up on the fly and jump on stage! The most dreaded, yet possibly the most memorable part of Camp Feral! Don't worry, the staff will be doing it too.

Poetry Corner

Main Lodge Campfire – 9:00p

The 10th Anniversary of the Poetry Corner! Bring your favorite poem or one you wrote in the workshop, hear great poems recited and join in the fun! Oh yeah, There will be coffee.

Canuck Movies
Tee Pee Heights – 10:00p

Join us for some Canadian movies including some staff favorites!

Monday
Polar Bear Swim
North Swim Dock – 7:00a

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Closing Ceremonies And Group Photo
Main Lodge – After Breakfast

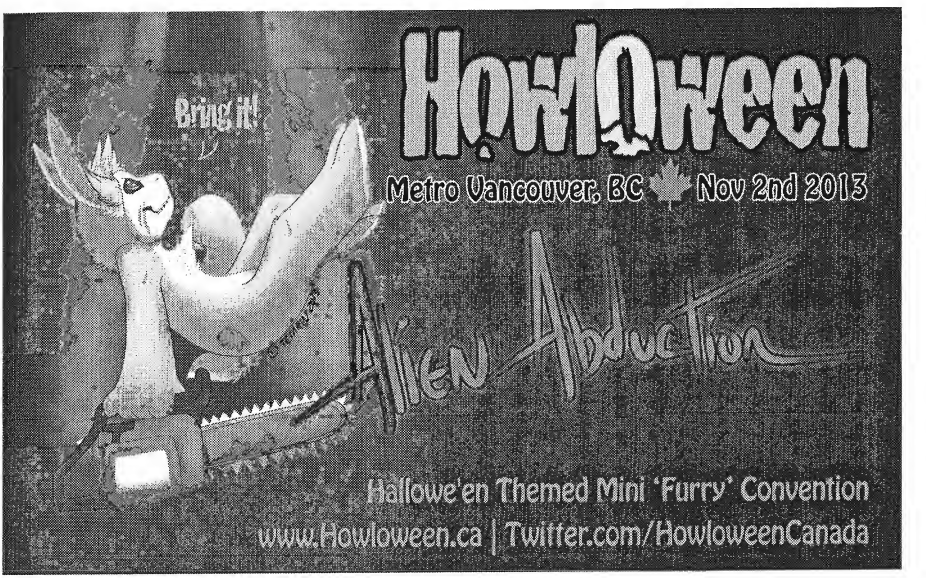
We bring down the flag, take a group pic of all your new furry friends, and then head to pack up! Remember, take only pictures and leave only footprints.

Pack Up And Clean
Your Cabin – 10:00a

You will be given instructions on how to leave your cabin. So the fine folks at Arowhon don't have too much to do after we go! (hint: sweep up, and don't leave *anything* behind! Check behind beds, etc.)

Bus To Toronto
11:00a Sharp!!!

The bus leaves for Toronto at 11:00am. There will be a delicious stop at Webers on the way back for nomburgers!!!!



Workshops!

	Friday	Saturday	Sunday
AM Workshops (10a - 12p)	**Intro to Aboriginal Culture** *Gishkishenh* Nature Hut	**Teachings of the Sacred Circle** *Gishkishenh* Nature Hut	**Observing Aboriginal Art** *Gishkishenh* Tee Pee Heights
	Archery *Khaki* Archery Range	**Character Creation Workshop** *Anyare & Patto* (Location TBA)	**Juggling** *Skylos* Meet at Rec Hall
	Ears & Tails Part I *Loopy* Arts & Crafts Lodge		
	Tarot as a Writing Tool *Skylos* Teepee Heights	**Ears & Tails Part II** *Loopy* Arts & Crafts Lodge	**Advanced Poetry** *Wotan* Main Lodge Campfire
PM Workshops (1p - 3p)	**Canadian Conservation** *Gishkishenh* Nature Hut	**7 Grandfather Teachings** *Gishkishenh* Nature Hut	**Medieval Icelandic Scripture** *Gishkishenh* Nature Hut
	Leather Working *Yennix* Arts & Crafts front porch	**Leather Working** *Yennix* Arts & Crafts front porch	**Leather Working** *Yennix* Arts & Crafts front porch
	Basic Drawing *Hiker* Main Lodge	**Basic Poetry** *Wotan* Main Lodge Campfire	**Sketch Jam** Main Lodge

Intro to Aboriginal Culture - Lecture + Q&A

Instructor: Gishkishenh

A look at common misconceptions, stereotypes and basic information about the Local First Nations. We will touch upon a wide variety of topics - animal related ones too!

Archery

Instructor: Khaki

Twang! Whether you are new to archery, or a seasoned yeoman, the archery workshop will help you learn everything from proper stance, to how to sight your shot! Come down and impress your friends.. or not!

Ears and Tails

Instructor: Loopy

In this workshop, we will be teaching you how to make your very own ears and a tail, with step-by-step instructions and hands-on assistance from the instructor. Ever wanted to know how to make them yourself, but felt you just needed someone to show you the basics? It's really not complicated. Anyone can do it, with a little time, and a little help.

Canadian Conservation

Instructor: Gishkishenh

A look into some of the independent facilities, conservation efforts, and conflict we have in Canada. Be prepared to be astounded at the wonderful animal fact, close encounters and efforts in our own backyards!

Basic Drawing

Instructor: Hiker

Basic drawing practices and techniques! Hiker has been an artist in the furry community for well over a decade. Learn from one of the best!

Character Creation Workshop

Instructor: Anyare and Patto

A workshop for attendees to create their own characters. We will teach gestural figure drawing, posing and provide templates for characters. We will begin by introducing ourselves, our backgrounds and talk a bit about figure drawing and character design. We will then teach people how to gesture a post out and after that hand out blank lightly xeroxed templates for people to draw on for

the figures, and a reference page of various body parts to copy or reference and drawing techniques for fur scales etc.

Teachings of the Sacred Circle - Lecture + Workshop

Instructor: Gishkishenh

First Nation spiritualism has its core in this fundamental teaching. Come to learn how our entire existence can be presented and understood through the Circle. We will have time to explore personal circles, and where we are within them.

7 Grandfather Teachings - Workshop

Instructor: Gishkishenh

We learn the sacred teachings of the Grandfathers, and the audience will be taken through 7 steps of self discovery and participation. Learn the 7 values of First Nation's life, and which animals guide us to them! Participation is mandatory!

The Tarot as a Tool for Writing

Instructor: Skylos

Writers block? Can't think of a plot? Don't know a character's back story? Reached a dead end? Spin the wheel of fate through a

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Tarot reading, suggesting myriad possibilities and revisions! Join us to collaborate on characters and a plot and see what happens!

Observing Aboriginal Art - Lecture

Instructor: Gishkishenh

A look into the mechanisms that characterize First Nations art. We look at the East Coast, and West Coast art, and capitalize on the topics such as Cultural Appropriation and Taboo.

Basic Juggling

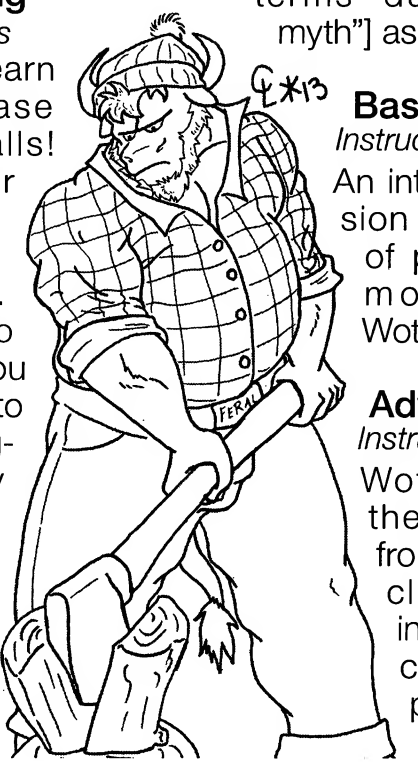
Instructor: Skylos

Come and learn how to chase dropped balls! Every juggler is an expert in chasing dropped balls. But we'll also be teaching you to learn how to learn about juggling! Nobody can teach you to be an expert juggler in an hour or so, but I bet we can get a cycle of two or three balls going. At the very least, you can find the path from where you are to where you want to be. Join us for basic juggling!

Medieval Icelandic Scripture

Instructor: Gishkishenh

With a focus on Historical influence, Cultural and Ethnic hegemony, and an over-all basic analysis on the motifs and metaphors behind the characters. We will focus on the Poetic Edda [common laymen terms dubbed "Norse myth"] as our contents.



Basic Poetry

Instructor: Wotan

An interactive discussion on the basics of poetry, led and moderated by Wotan!

Advanced Poetry

Instructor: Wotan

Wotan continues the conversation from the beginners class, stepping into more complicated aspects of poetry.

Leatherworking

Instructor: Yennix

The leather workshop is a chance to do a bit of craft at camp and leave with a creation that not only is neat, but has all the personal love and effort that only self-worked leather can have. This year the workshop takes a bit of a turn and will be doing leather sketchbook binding. From individual sheets, cord and glue we'll be putting together a tome that will be beautiful, solid and something artists will really be keen to draw in.

This project is significantly more involved than previous leather workshops, taking an estimate of three days to complete. Because of the complexity of the work and the time needed to complete it, attendance for the class will be capped at 10 crafters and a signup for the class will be e-mailed before camp starts.

Workshop fees will be $50 for a personal, full sized leather bound hardcover sketch book!

Has the fandom changed you? How do I explain furries to my friends? **Should I change my fursona?** Are there any good alternatives to FA? **Is the perception of artists in the fandom fair?** Why does the fandom seem so immature?

The podcast with the answers...

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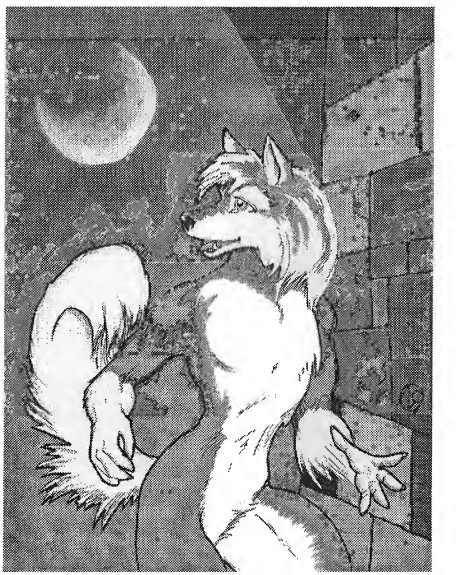
Is there worse pain than stepping on LEGO? Ever dream you were your fursona? **How should I choose friends**? How can I get started fursuiting? **What would a furry world be like?** How should we ethically treat animals in the real world?

Instructors

Loopy



Loopy (aka LoopyWolf) has been in the furry fandom just for ever. He's perhaps best known for his cclped earn him a "Master Costumer" title at WorldCon for his creation of "Mighty Wing Lung Puff" -- a 24' fire-breathing dragon. Nowadays, he turns these same skills towards making ears and tails, plushies and jewelry.

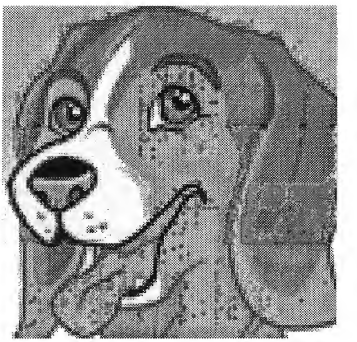
Loopy is also a furry artist, seen on FurAffinity and Weasyl. He publishes various webcomics, such as Were I Wolf, and Macro & Vore.

He's a semi-professional artist working part time in multimedia, and part time doing commissions for folks in all kinds of media, and always learning more. He also loves board games, and has designed and made a couple.

He hails from Montreal, Quebec where he is the founder of the local fur group, MonFur. He adores games, monsters, vintage cartoons, and crappy sci-fi.

Yennix

Yennix has been coming to Camp Feral! every year since he immigrated to Canada from the sweltering state of Oklahoma. His first camp introduced him to leather working with Wilykat and he's since taken the workshop over and continued it since. Becoming a member of staff after that first year, he's been responcible for logistics and driving the Cubevan to and from site. Aside from finding him hammering and stitching during the camp, he's also a DJ at the dance, spinning the heavy hitting drum and bass tracks that have got him jamming! Just dont ask him to play Sandstorm ;)



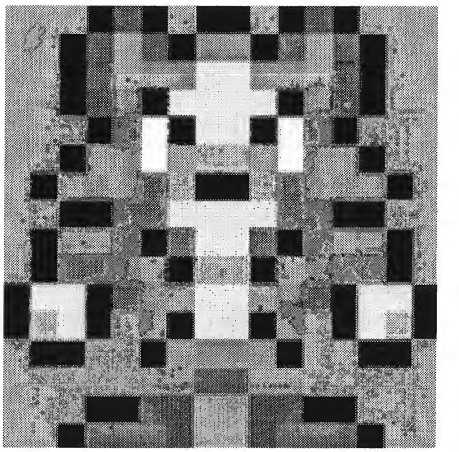
Skylos

Skylos or David Ihnen is a Professional software engineer, Shotokan Karateka, Maker, Tesserator, Writer, Motorcyclist, Mechanic, Rationalist, Communist, Photographer, Amateur radio operator and Furry. Born on Long Island and currently working in Columbus Ohio with his mate Dhugal of 18 years and his two canine companions Akando and Banshee the German Shepherd Dogs. You can see various pieces of his work at http://dogpawz.com/

Khaki

Khaki has been attending Feral! since 2001 and has been doing archery for the majority of the last 15 years. After purchasing his first bow in 2011, Khaki instructed Feral's very first Archery Workshop. He is back again this year to teach you the finer points of this age-old skill.

Hiker Woyote



A species unto himself. His origins lie in Prince Edward Island, Canada's smallest province and largest open-air rural theme park. Disillusioned with his career as the left arm of ANNETRON, the Island's giant red-headed robotic defender, he moved to Toronto in 1998. He lives there still, happy and content, and only occasionally has nightmares about giant rubber-suited potatoes with laser eyes.

He is a Renaissance were-woyote: self-taught artist, improv actor, video director, and social animal. This year, Hiker is helping to teach the Art Workshop. With 15 years of drawing experience, he hopes to give his students a quick foundation in the fundamentals of drawing and a stack of photocopied notes.

His non-furry hobbies include video games, action figures, giant robots, cartoons, and other things that he considers 'cool.' His inner 12-year-old is extremely talkative and should only be approached with extreme caution. If trapped by Hiker, distract him with Lego and he should leave you alone.

His (infrequently updated) FA site is at
http://www.furaffinity.net/user/hiker/

And check out his video collaborations with Olefin the Husky and many Toronto fursuiters at
http://www.youtube.com/user/WaggingTales

Wotan

Wotan, who writes poetry and fiction under the pen name of Trevor Patrick, has been involved with the fandom since mid-1997, when he was working an eight year stint as a zookeeper, his introduction to the fandom coming from a fellow keeper.

In his ordinary, day to day life outside of his writing endeavours, Wotan has pursued a career in biological sciences, specifically conservation biology, earning an honours B.Sc. at the University of Guelph in 2002, followed by B.A. in Bio-Ethics in 2003, and a M.Sc. in 2007, also at the University of Guelph.

Wotan has been attending Feral since 2000, never having missed a year thus far, and has been teaching the poetry workshops since 2003, as well as hosting the Poetry Corner readings.

His two most recent poetry collections are as follows:

(1) Shattered Images: Selected Songs and Poems of Trevor Patrick - 1985-2010, published in 2012 through Lulu Press,
(2) The Problem With Revolution: Selected Songs and Poems of Trevor Patrick - 2010-2013, to be published later this year.

Signed copies of both books will be available for purchase at Feral.

In addition to his poetry projects, Wotan is currently working on numerous short stories and several novel-length projects, as well as creating the Media-Wiki project, and writing supplemental short stories and other material for Mulefoot's online comic "SLOP" (http://www.rustedtusks.com)

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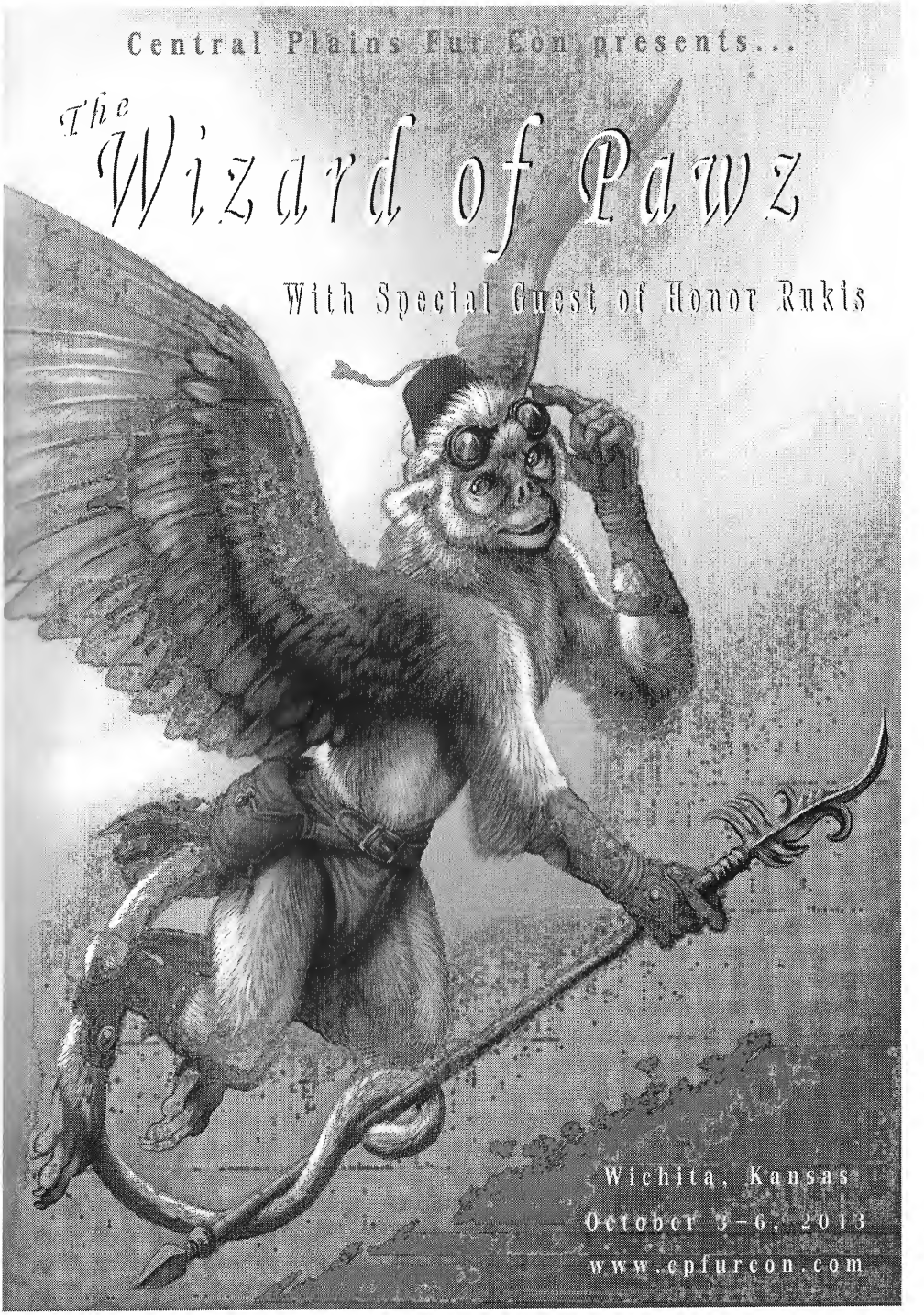
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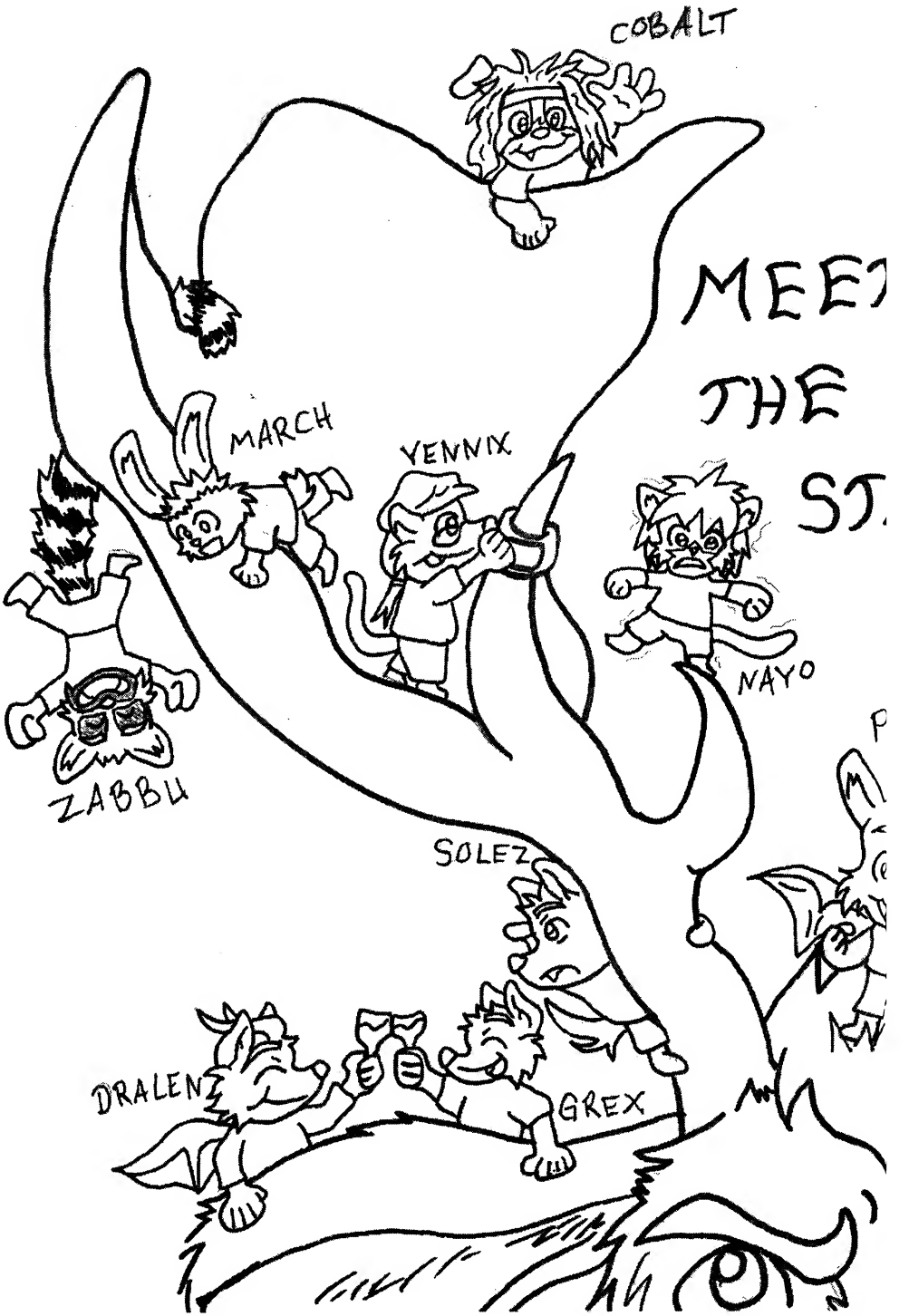
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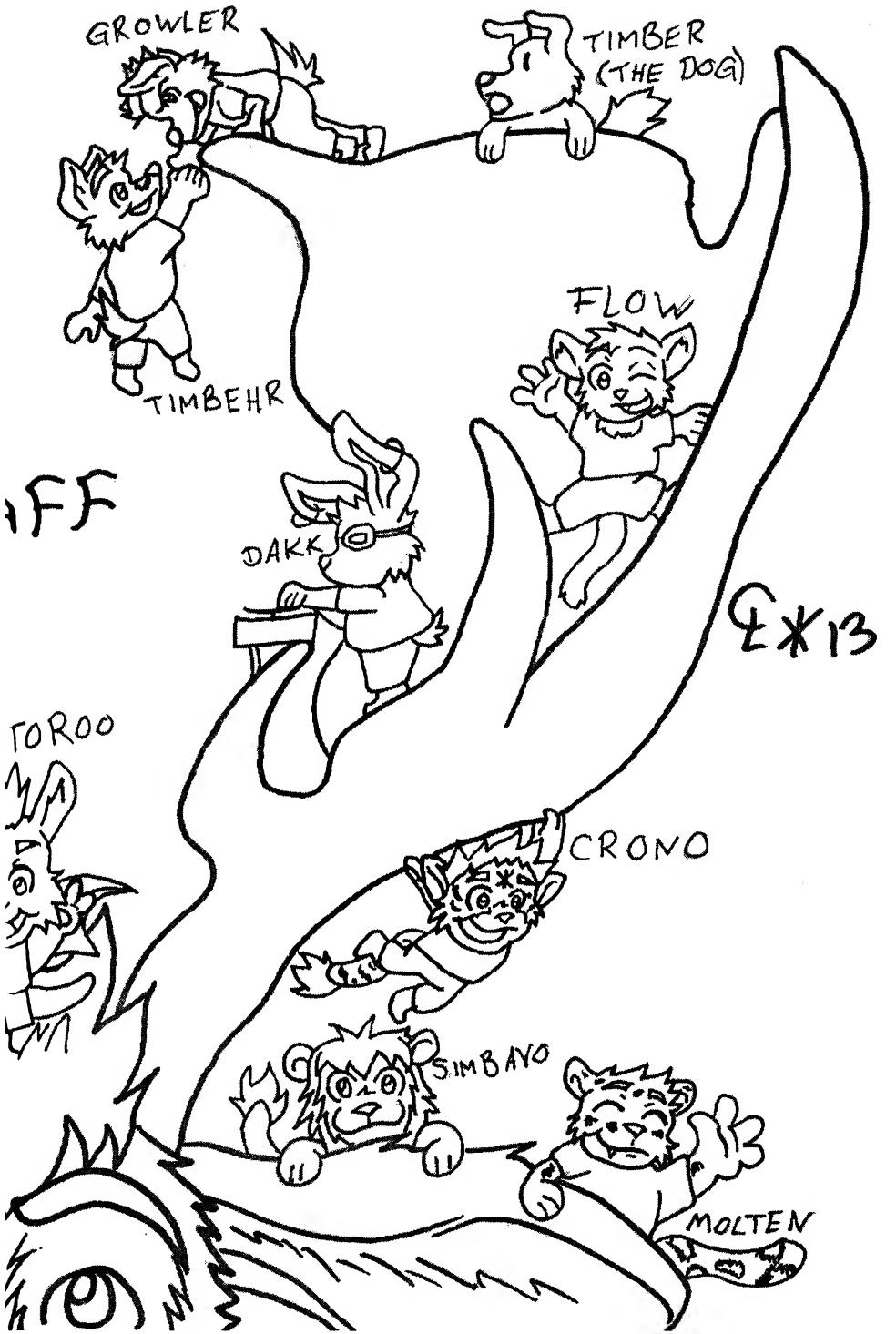
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Blank pages at the end of a conbook!?
You know what those are for!!
(We hope you had a great time! Thank you, come again!)

Wolfin's Book

I love you more than all the other wolfies I know!

Furgeta
FA: Furgeta
skype: furgeta_fuxdude

Hiker!
no mother etc
dreams gonna her son's grow up into a wolfin

Come back next year!
- Scani / Tantou

FA: Tobos
Skype: n_tobola

Happy Feral
FA- Dragura

Kristin
FA: Xcess

Kronk no King!

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ROR
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Bob PATHFINDER gogint@VERIZON.NET

This is totally a nice pen stencil
RyTiger

Wow... so great
Go Bat!!!

Good seeing ya!
Wuuuuuu Wei

Hunter's Signature

SKYPE: THERACCOON@GMAIL
CF+AZZY: @DERPTIGER @AZZYCOON | FA: CEEEPH

Superfurlsfun Time!
Kindly (fa)

Meow!
-Deuce

Kristin
Fa: Xcess

Happy Furl! XXAWK :)

You are First!
... so gentle so awkward.
-Dakk

Kupo! ♡
Kupo
a great furl! ♡
Shex

Caterbark! Good to see you again!
"the bees wouldn't stay in formation and the honey was terrible"
Furl!
- Kiswarg

Hi Yay!
Nice to meet you!!
FA: StarSky

Yay! random bus con book! :P
Hope you had fun!
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Hope you have a great year! Thanks for being here.
-Shires

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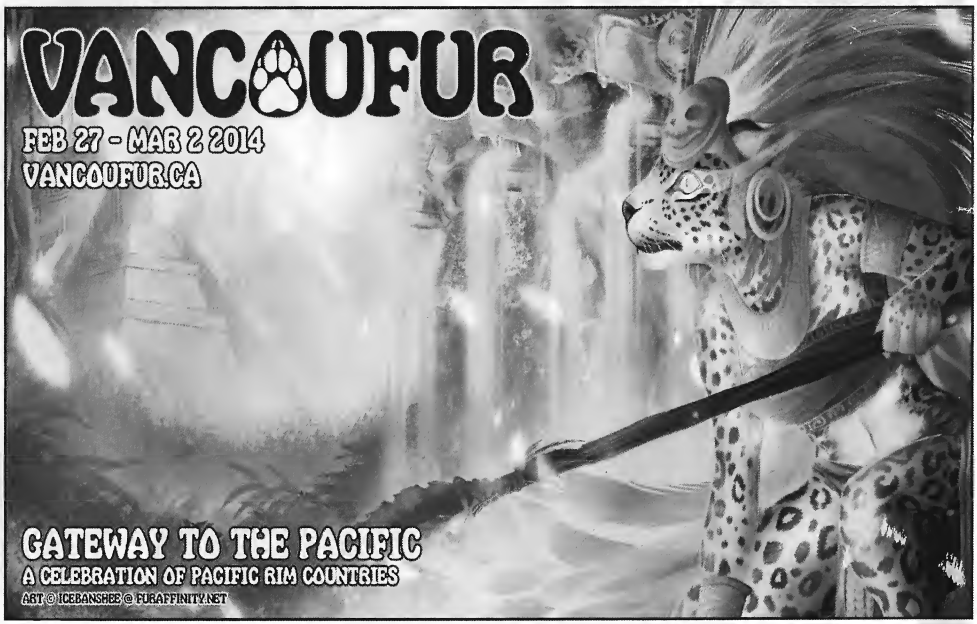
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